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NEWS AND EVENTS FOR THE STUDENTS OF GEORGE BROWN COLLEGE SEPTEMBER 1991

SOCIALLY SPEAKING

Hello to all. I have decided to make the topic of discussion for today, "March Break and the bullshit the Council must see through to select a safe Company and a fun destination." I realize that the title is pretty extensive but I could not think of a way to shorten it.

Let me take you back to last May when your SAC originally took their place as elected leaders of approximately 5000 students. The position that I am in is called Vice President Activities. What this means, as defined by the Constitution of your SAC, is that I arrange and run all the Social activities at this Campus. This would include "March Break or Reading Week" which ever you prefer. Immediately after the Council took place, a decision was made to send myself and David Wood, V.P. Internal, to a conference called C.O.C.A. (Canadian Organization of Campus Activities) where we would be able to make contacts in the entertainment industry and "check out" entertainment for the coming year.

Another part of this conference was the presence of the most of the reputable Tour Companies that provide March Break trips for destinations for March 1992. I was impressed by a total of four companies that were at the conference. They were Adanac Tours, Proto Tours, Temple & Temple and Breakaway Tours. All of these companies had (and still have) great reputations within the student market.

A decision was made by myself that I would try to accommodate at least one destination from each of these companies. These destinations included New Years, Winter Carnival, Skiing etc.

I happily talked to representatives of these companies about plans for the coming year.

Dave and I returned from the conference full of ideas and feeling better about taking on the responsibility assigned to us by the students.

I decided to stay with the past process of discussing March Break trips with all the Executives.

A decision was made to consider Temple & Temple's Jamaica destination and Adanac's Puerto Vallarta destination.

I met with representatives of both companies at different times and was informed by them that they would be running "Fam Trips".

"Fam Trips", short for Familiarization Trips, are run during the summer months and usually offered to members of the SAC that will have some say in the final decision as to destinations for March Break. These trips are offered to the students at a very low cost so that Councils can afford to

check out the destination and be able to present this view to the students to whom they are selling the trip. The Council decided that the trip was classified as a business trip and therefore SAC would cover the cost of the trips. It was also decided that because of the nature of the trip that those who attended would not receive their salary for that week. The cost of the trip was less than a week's salary.

It was decided that Jocelyn Dance, President/V.P. Finance, and the President, Rebecca Hogg would travel to Mexico with Adanac Tours and Tina DiNardo, V.P. Communication, would travel with me to Jamaica with Temple & Temple. With everything in order, plans were made and all involved were happy with the decision.

Enter into the picture now, another tour company named Student Travel Services (STS).

Two representatives of the company came to meet with the Council and present their destinations to us. After a mix up of times and a bit of confusion as to whom they were actually supposed to see, I met with them.

At this meeting I learned a lot about Cancun, which was the destination they were promoting, and also about myself. I realized that I was making a decision about one of our possible destinations based solely on my desire to go there.

I would have to say that STS presented their case very well and by the time they had left I was convinced that Cancun, Mexico was the place to be in March 1992.

I excitedly held a meeting with the rest of the Executives to present these new revelations.

The Executives discussed the situation in regards to STS and the problems SAC had encountered the year before with them. I reminded the Executives that not even one year before this same Company had failed to provide the support and promotion of their Jamaican destination as desired. I will also mention here that the President of the Company tried to force me to run the destination by saying that he had a signed contract stating our intentions to promote this trip. At this point I reminded him that the said contract was sitting on the President of the SAC's desk unsigned.

After some discussion we decided that this company had turned over a new leaf. One of the representatives had been a Student Leader on another Council that I knew was a big factor in the decision as well.

The Council decided that Cancun seemed like it would be "Happening" so I was given the go ahead to contact STS and discuss this destination further.

When I contacted STS I was very excited about promoting the Cancun trip. I was told by them, as I was during the original meeting, that they were not actively promoting a "Fam Trip". I informed the Sales Representative that the only thing I

heard about Cancun was that it was expensive. He said he would see what he could do about taking me down to Cancun so that I would have a better idea of what I was selling to the students.

I cancelled my "Fam Trip" to Jamaica as soon as I had talked to STS about going to Cancun, feeling that we were more interested in Cancun and the price for Cancun was cheaper. I was asked by STS if I would be able to go to Cancun in August and I said no because there was too much planning to be done in August. They phoned back within a few days informing me that we would be leaving at the end of the week.

Well, I have to be honest and say that Cancun was the nicest place I have ever seen. The beaches there are amazing. I had a fabulous time in Cancun and came back feeling very positive about the trip.

At the same time as my trip there were three other Executives in Puerto Vallarta (P.V.) on a "Fam Trip" with Adanac. When they returned, we all sat down to discuss the pro's and con's of each trip.

I was under the impression, due to the STS rep., that P.V. was a scummy dive and you could not even drink the water.

All of this turned out to be untrue as the Executives who attended the trip brought back a glowing report on P.V. It was when we started comparing prices of alcohol and food (the mainstays of any March Break trip) were drastically different by comparison. It was at least twice as expensive to eat and drink in Cancun. The cost of side trips were more than double in Cancun.

All of these comparisons led us to decide that we would only run P.V. as our big March Break destination.

This decision threw STS in a fury and the demanded that the Council reimburse them for the money spent on me while down there. All this after a price of \$300 to cover everything was agreed upon by the Council and STS.

We did not even hear about this until

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BICYCLE THIEF STRIKES

Someone stole two bicycles at George Brown the first day of the TTC strike. Or, rather, enough to make up one whole bike. One was brand new. Its front wheel was securely locked to the bicycle rack on Frederick Street. It had a quick release front wheel. Someone unbolted the front wheel from the first bike, whipped the front wheel off the second bike, put them together and rode off into the night. Or so the evidence shows. The first bike was all gone, except for the wheel nuts, washers, and front wheel very securely locked to the rack by a beautiful, new, long U-shaped lock. The sad part is, it could have easily held the whole bike securely if the front wheel had been removed and the lock passed through the front wheel, back wheel, frame and bike rack. The sad thing about the other bike is that with a quick-release front wheel, it could have been more easily removed and the wheel and the bike, fastened to the bike rack with the U-shaped lock that was still there after the thief left. The two sick-at-heart cyclists were able to assuage each other's grief a little when the one who only had a wheel left sold it to the one whose front wheel had been taken. One went home with a seat - removed earlier knowing it could be stolen - a lock and the price of a used front wheel. The other went home with a complete bike - less the price of a front wheel. Lock your bike securely. Take the front wheel off and lock it all together. Doing that is less bother than walking home. The problem is especially acute during the TTC strike when a stolen bike can find a ready buyer. It might also help if the College could put a light over the Frederick Street bicycle rack. Or at least put up a large, clear sign - perhaps with a diagram - showing cyclists how to secure their bikes.

Bob Freeman

Mario's Corner

Here's some things to amuse and confuse during the month of September.

•Were you as happy as me to see John MacEnroe get hit on the head during the first round of the U.S. open.

•I don't know about you, but I hate Carl Lewis, I think if you were to trace his family tree, he would probably be related to Rickey Henderson. Speaking of which, isn't he a bit too old to still be called Rickey.

•As I'm writing this, the Jays and Tigers are tied for first, even if the Jays lose this battle, they still won the steal of the decade when they picked up Roberto Alomar for Tony Fernandez. I wish we still had Fred McGriff though.

•Many of you will be more than happy to hear that Dear Georgie is gone. If you have any questions about the opposite (or same) sex, school or just life in general feel free to drop off a letter in the Dialog mailbox in the SAC office.

ARE YOU LOOKING FOR A PART-TIME JOB?

If your answer is yes, your campus Career and Employment Centre has the following tips on how to conduct a proper job search:

- Do a brief assessment of your working skills, i.e., things that you can do - typing, word processing, driving, waiting on tables, cooking, using computers, selling, etc.

- Prepare a resume that includes your education, employment history, either full-time, part-time or summer; interests, extra curricular activities and availability of references.

Information on how to prepare a resume is available from your campus Career and Employment Centre.

- Keep a record of the name, address and telephone number of companies you are applying for a job; to whom you send your resume and when you send it.

- Your ability to be organized is a valuable skill to an employer.

- Check daily the part-time job binders in the Employment Centre, and read the classified section of your local newspaper.

- Tell all your friends and relatives that you are looking for a job.

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Our services are available on a drop-in basis and include the following:

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- The provision of placement reports which lists average starting salaries.

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You can find the Student Career and Employment Centre at these locations:

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160 Kendal Avenue
2nd Floor,
Room C221

- Kensington Campus
21 Nassau Street
2nd Floor,
Building #1
Room 1206

- Nightingale Campus
2 Murray Street
1st Floor,
Room 105

- St. James Campus
200 King Street East
Main Floor,
Room 116

GEORGE BROWN STAFF MEMBER TO REPRESENT CANADA IN AUSTRALIA

Deanna Oliver, Fitness Co-ordinator at St. James Campus has received funding from the St. James SAC to help defer the cost of competing in the World Triathlon Championships in Australia on October 13, 1991. Deanna competes at the amateur level and is one of Canada's top competitors in her age group. As only the top professionals triathletes have their passage and accommodations paid for with government funding, top age group competitors have to pay their own way.

Special thanks go to the St. James SAC for their support and sponsorship.

Competing in the sport of triathlon since 1988. Achievements as follows:

1988 - 3rd place age category in the Royal LePage Ontario Triathlon Series. Competed in 7 races.

1989 - 1st place age category in the Royal LePage Ontario Triathlon Series. Competed in 10 races.

1990 - 1st place age category in the Royal LePage Ontario Triathlon Series. Competed in 10 races.

1990 - National Triathlon Team. Represented Canada at the World Championships in Orlando, Florida. Placed 8th overall. Women age category-2nd Canadian.

1991 - Have completed in 10 races to date in the Teleglobe/Royal LePage Ontario Triathlon Series currently in the top 3 in age category and have been selected to the National Team. Will be representing Canada on October 13 in Gold Coast, Australia.

The St. James Student Council would like to congratulate and wish Deanna the best of luck in Australia!

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Some girls have
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It's No Battle of the Sexes. It's a Battle of the Sex.

I don't like what's happening here.

For centuries, the world has been dominated by men. As time went on, people like George Sand made it possible for women to try and gain the rights which they should never have separated from in the first place.

With the feminist movement of the 1920's and the sexual revolution of the 1960's, women were finally granted, not without a struggle, certain fundamental rights which should have always been there simply because we are human.

Now that a great deal of oppression had been lifted, the silence was replaced by a very loud and violent clash of the sexes. And, because it was such a new deviation from the norm, women did not speak out against each other in a manner that would harm their overall stand in the situation. As a result of this bonding, two things happened: A great deal of the abuse that went on was brought out into the open, and it was made clear that equality meant punishment for the perpetrator of violence against women. The second thing was a great deal of male bashing due to the amount of abuse that had been carried out during all those centuries by all those men toward all those women. As a result the men bonded together as well.

Considering that a very large number of the influential positions in all walks of life are still occupied by men, when a man is brought up in front of a court for a charge like rape, the victim is always made to look as if she was at fault. In order to protect the woman, the rape shield law prevented the use of the victim's alleged sexual history, against her.

Now that over two decades have passed since the latest explosion of the fight for equal rights, the bonds that keep the women together are rotting away into thin, mouldy strands of human flesh. There are now women in very influential places who seem to want nothing more than just to prove to their male colleagues that they are not feminists.

As it turns out, once she has reached a position of power, rather than looking out for what's right, and protecting and promoting women's rights, this successful woman chooses to protect and promote a comfortable and worry-free lifestyle for herself. She literally becomes a traitor to herself as well as to those women over whose lives she now has control.

So now we've got Madam Justice Beverley McLachlin overturning the rape shield law. This is not a game and it seems as if she has forgotten that she is not simply moving bishop to knight three. She doesn't seem to realize that she is destroying part of her own feminine identity simply to do what seems to be the "in thing".

And what about that Madam Justice What's-her-name that ruled that the man was not guilty of molesting the little girl because the four-year-old was conducting herself in a sexually enticing manner? A four-year-old? What?

In a country where the law is supposedly designed to protect the rights of its citizens and to deter future criminal activity, I see no place for these women who feel quite satisfied in encouraging violence against women and children.

There is evidence in anthropological research that when the human race was still young, women and men had equal respect for one another and divided their duties according to convenience. Men being generally designed as physically superior, and women being originally designed as capable of reproduction, men became in charge of maintaining the physical safety and well-being of the tribe, while women became in charge of the educational, nutritional and maternal aspect of the tribe. Originally, the balance enforced a mutual respect, but the men were never exposed to "women's work" and the women soon became the slaves of the brute strength of their male companions.

It has taken an unreasonable amount of time for us to get back on track, and now I am becoming convinced that the men have always been right. Perhaps women are weak. As soon as there is any sign of progress, we tend to slack off and think the war is as good as won. The men, on the other hand, are doing the turtle thing. Slow and steady wins the race.

While the female bonds of the 20's and 60's are deteriorating, it seems that the male bonds are stronger than ever, thanks to their new recruits like Madam Justice Beverley McLachlin and a whole volcano of others.

Perhaps they're right. Perhaps there should never, nor can ever be any sort of equality between the sexes. In fact, since we are allowing ourselves to come full circle, perhaps men are the superior ones.

How does that make you feel? Knowing that no matter how much you respect yourself, you are destined to respect men more? Does it make you feel proud that you have left no other alternative?

~Yevgenia Tartakovsky

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Business	4 Reps.
Nursing	2 Reps.
Hospitality	3 Reps.
Graphic Arts	2 Reps.
Community Service	2 Reps.
Theatre Arts	1 Rep.

Each division shall elect from among its activity fee paying members divisional representatives. Nominations and poster proofs must be received by Steve Heusser by 5:00 pm on Wednesday, October 2nd 1991. Campaigning will begin on Thursday, October 3rd until Monday, October 7th. Voting will begin on Tuesday, October 8th and ends on Thursday, October 10th at 2:00 pm. Winners will be announced at Camp Zu on October 10th.

For more information and nomination forms, see Steve Heusser in the SAC Office.

CASA LOMA OKTOBERFEST TRIP

On Wednesday October 16, 1991 the Casa Loma SAC is having a road trip to Bingham Park in Kitchener/Waterloo for Oktoberfest.

Tickets are \$16 which includes return bus, admission, complimentary mug and bumper sticker.

Tickets are available from the Casa Loma SAC. Bus leaves from Casa Loma (160 Kendal) at 6:00pm.

SOCIALLY SPEAKING (CONT'D)

STS called and demanded a meeting with the Administration of the College. I informed them that this was unnecessary as SAC felt that its decision was justified.

The next correspondence with STS was a very threatening letter (which is available to any St. James Student to look at) that stated STS would launch a lawsuit against the Council and sue for up to \$100,000. What a joke! I do not know where they got that figure but as far as I am concerned the Council and myself have done nothing wrong and have nothing to hide.

STS has accused me of wanting nothing but a free trip. HA HA I say! If I wanted a free trip I can think of a few different destinations I could have gone to instead of Cancun. The Council had an honest interest in promoting Cancun and that is why I attended this trip.

STS also said that they will start petitions to have all of our Executives removed from office.

I say, let's do it! If they try to remove us from office I can guarantee they will come worse than us. The St. James Student Administrative Council and especially myself have nothing to hide and I would welcome their challenge to this statement.

I would also welcome anyone who would like to discuss this problem further.

The only recognized and supported March Break trip for 1992 is with Get Lost Holidays which is part of Adanac Tours. This is a great Company and we believe that this will be the best trip ever.

Thanks for your support.

Timothy D. Mitchell
V.P. Activities
867-2454

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Untill next time Georgemaniacs, be cool, study hard, keep away from those nasty illegal things, and oh yeah.....
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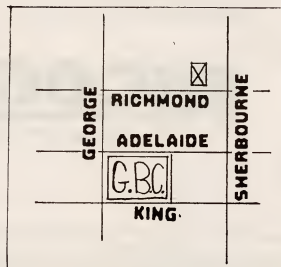
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